A RESOLUTION requesting the governor to proclaim April 22, 1995 as "Youth Service Day" in Tennessee.

WHEREAS, the future of our state depends on the progress, productivity, and positive contributions young people make to society; and

WHEREAS, every day young people provide compassionate, meaningful volunteer services in their communities: tutoring children who are less advantaged, feeding the hungry and homeless, assisting the elderly, counseling peers, and nurturing the environment which surrounds them; and

WHEREAS, National Youth Service Day is a vehicle to celebrate the potential and contributions of our youth; and

WHEREAS, Youth Service Day brings communities together and helps other young people to recognize the value and satisfaction of working together to improve the quality of life in these communities; and

WHEREAS, Youth Service Day seeks to recognize and communicate to policymakers, business and community leaders, educators, parents, and others the strength and potential of organized youth service; and

WHEREAS, the nationwide celebration for Youth Service Day is scheduled to be held in our state capital of Nashville in 1995; and

WHEREAS, Youth Service Day gives young people in our communities, our state, and our nation inspiration to be involved and truly make a difference for future generations; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING,

That

this General Assembly recognizes the significance and contributions of our youth by requesting the Governor to proclaim April 22, 1995, as "Youth Service Day" in the state of Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this General Assembly urges all Tennessee youth to become more involved in their communities, and concurrently, urges all citizens to encourage the enthusiasm, energy, and talents put forth by these young people.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That twelve copies of this resolution be prepared with this final resolving clause deleted.

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